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Quandoque bonus dormitat Homerus. Hor.

Mr. BAVIUS,

SOME time ago I ſent you ſome reflexions on Virgil's conduct of the *manners* of his heroes; which I apprehended, at leaſt in the inſtance I gave you, to be very faulty. The ſame I conceive of Homer: and, for further ſatisfaction, beg your ſentiments on the following ſpecimen. As I told you afore, I ſhould be well pleas'd to have my eyes open'd, if I am miſtaken in my judgment of it. At leaſt you will, if you think it worth while, were it only to engage ſome good hand to do juſtice to the great poet, offer to the Public the few following

Scruples concerning the SUITABLENESS and CONSISTENCY *of the Epic Manners in Homer's Odyſſey.*

THE 6th book of which runs thus: Says Minerva to Nauſicaa, daughter to Alcinous king of the Phaeacians, having aſſum'd the ſhape of a young lady of her acquaintance. 'Madam, you're to be married ſhortly; and all your 'cloaths are dirty: deſire your Father to let you have the cart 'and mules (ἡμιόνους τ' ἄμοτον: 37) to carry your matters, for 'it's a great way to the place: and it's better than to go afoot (πολλὸν γὰρ πεδίοιο ἐλεύσεαι: 39) —— In the morning ſhe meets with her Father juſt going out of doors to meet his Nobles in council: 'Papa, ſays ſhe, won't you let me 'have the cart to carry the cloaths to the river to be waſht '(πάπτα 55) for you want clean linnen, when you go to coun-'cil; and my brothers, when they go to the ball (ἠδὲ) —— 'This requeſt was no ſooner granted, but ſhe fetches the linnen out of the chamber; while her Mother puts ſome victuals in a box, and ſome wine in a leather-jack (μίτρῃ 76) So away goes the Princeſs Royal full-tare (ἁμάξῃ δ' ἐπέβαν 82) with two or three maids to help her. —— When they had buck'd the cloaths [ἀπὸ 91) they hung them up to dry, and went to ſtool-ball; which wak'd Ulyſſes, the hero of the poem; who had been caſt away on this ſhore, and had taken a nap in a copſe hard by. So, out he comes as naked as he was born; but carried a leafy bough before him, to cover his nakedneſs. Away ſcamper the landreſſes, all but the King's daughter: to whom Ulyſſes addreſs'd himſelf with abundance of fine compliments, and begs a rag or ſo to cover him. She, as courteouſly, anſwers him; and chides the maids 'What? ſays ſhe, are you frighted 'out of your wits at the ſight of a man (τοῖσι 199) Give him ſome victuals and drink, and waſh him in the river (ἐν 210) Upon this the girls take heart, and put him in a ſhady place, and get him ſome cloaths to put on: 'But ſtand a little 'off, ſays he: for I ſhan't waſh before you, for I am 'aſham'd (ἐντροπὴ 221) When he had done, the lady was mightily in love with him, and wiſh'd ſhe had him for her huſband. Accordingly, having got the linnen into the cart, and put in the mules, ſhe gets up, and bids Ulyſſes follow her along with the maids. 'But, ſays ſhe, I would 'not have the folks ſee you: it might occaſion ſome diſcourſe to my diſadvantage. So, when we come to ſuch a place, do you ſit down, and ſtay a little, till you think we may be got home; and then, ask any body, and they'll ſhew you the way to my Father's palace: for the houſe is the fineſt in the city (301) and, as ſoon as you get thither, make the beſt of your way to my Mother: you'll find her (where I left her in the morning, 52) in the chimney-corner, a ſpinning by the fire (ἠύ 305) and my Father, in his chair, a drinking like a god (ἔνθα) 'Well, in he comes; and addreſſes the Queen with his hands on her knees, (ἀμφὶ) 'God 'bleſs you all, ſays he: but, pray, put me in a condition 'of getting home again immediately. With that, he claps him down by the fire in the aſhes (αὖτ) and, after a long ſilence, ſays one of the oldeſt and wiſeſt, and moſt eloquent of his Nobles to the King 'Alcinous, it is not fit the ſtran-'ger ſhould ſit yonder in the aſhes: pray —— But I muſt break off: I am afraid you are already ſurfeited; and your readers, no doubt, if you publiſh it, will be apt to cry out: And is this the divine Homer (Sotad. ap. Stob.) the fountain of all learning (Ovid. Amor. iii. 9. 25.) for the honour of whoſe birth ſeven cities of Greece contended (Gell. iii. 11.) and who has been the idol of all poſterity (Fabric. bibl. græc. 2.)

Sir, I am your Humble Servant, THOMAS DIDYMUS.

This Letter is printed as an ingenious banter, and out of regard to the learned and witty Author; whom I refer, for an anſwer, to the VIth Book of the *Odyſſey*, tranſlated by Mr. POPE, with the notes.

BAVIUS.

SIR,

I Know not whether the emendation of MILTON, B. I. v. 157, inſerted in your 87th *Journal*, does indeed belong to that learned Gentleman, to whom it is aſcribed. I own myſelf inclined to think it is his; for 'tis perfectly agreeable to his taſte and ſpirit.

Fall'n Cherub to be weak *is miſerable.*

'This (ſays he) is abſolute nonſenſe. *To be weak* is not '*by conſequence* to be *miſerable.* ADAM was *frail* and '*weak*, even while he was happy in Paradiſe. I don't know, that it is neceſſary to juſtify SATAN's Logic: he might reaſon fallaciouſly, to comfort his dejected companions. But I am ſure the argument drawn from ADAM's *weakneſs* has no true *conſequence*: for his *miſery* proceeded from his *frailty and weakneſs*; he loſt *Paradiſe and happineſs*, as ſoon as his *weakneſs* ſhewed itſelf.

'But (ſays the Critick) it is no anſwer to BEELZEBUB's 'ſpeech, he complained not of *weakneſs*. If he had, it would have been a ſtrange anſwer for SATAN (whoſe deſign was to comfort BEELZEBUB) to allow that —— *to be weak is miſerable.*

But this paſſage will be fully cleared up by conſidering the meaning of BEELZEBUB's ſpeech. He was not 'doubting (as this Gentleman affirms) *what* God's deſign 'was in placing them in Hell, whether they were to '*work*, or merely to *ſuffer*: but SATAN having in his firſt ſpeech boaſted of his *unconquerable will and courage*, v. 106, and his *ſtrength* which could not *fail*, v. 116. BEELZEBUB, whoſe character is leſs fierce than SATAN's, objects thus: If the Almighty *has left us this our* ſpirit and ſtrength entire, only to *ſuffer pain*, or to do him *ſervice as his thralls, what can they then avil?* Where is the advantage then in having them? To this SATAN very properly replies:

To be weak is miſerable:
Doing or ſuffering,

Whether we are to *work*, or to *ſuffer*, we are free from the *miſery* of *weakneſs*; we have ſtill the comfort of *undiminiſh'd ſtrength* and *vigour*. Let any man (unleſs he is upon the hunt after faults) read over the three ſpeeches; and I doubt not but that he will acknowledge the juſtneſs and propriety of the text, and eaſily determine where the charge of *abſolute nonſenſe* ought to be fixed.

The quotation of the words, *dwelling place*, and *to dwell here*, out of B. II. is a manner of arguing peculiar to this learned Gentleman, and indeed unanſwerable.

Sept. 11, 1731. I am, yours, &c. PHILONOUS.

Doctor J. M——e to Doctor J. H——y, ſendeth greeting;

DOCTOR, 'tis ſtrange, that you pretend to cure
A *ſad* diſeaſe, which you are forc'd t'endure.
Were I not free from *worms* that plague the belly,
I'd ne'er pretend for thoſe a cure to tell ye.
With all my ſkill, I ne'er was yet ſo vain,
To *advertiſe* 'gainſt *worms* that haunt the brain:
Thoſe *worms*, which, crawling round your *Dura mater*,
A POET form'd, HYP DOCTOR, and ORATOR.
In all theſe three reſpects, that proverb true,
Phyſician heal thyſelf's apply'd to you.
Thy Lectures, Poſtills, Eſſays, Syllogiſms,
Flow all from *Hypochondriac paroxiſms.*
Strange it may ſeem, that One ſo pert and gay
Should groan beneath *dull Hypo's diſmal* ſway.
But I in *daily Advertiſements* ſhow,
That *Hypochondriac* ills from *ſcurvy* flow:
And all the Town, which thou haſt play'd thy farce on,
Declare thou'ſt been a very *ſcurvy* P——n.
When, in the *Daily Poſt*, ſo near each other
We ſtood, that thou waſt look'd on as my Brother;
Why didſt thou think an honour a diſgrace;
And proudly envy my ſuperior place?
Why would thy vain ambition higher ſoar.
'Twas fame enough to ſtand next Doctor M——e.
In that diſpute, had not my better pay,
As in moſt other caſes, won the day;
My age, ſkill, learning, and ſucceſs might claim
The due precedence for my greater name.
E'er yet the name of ORATOR was known;
Mine long had fill'd the Country and the Town.
Not like *white powder* mine, which *makes no noiſe,*
And like a ſilent Hypocrite deſtroys;
But like the *black*, ſulphureous grain, my *Powder*
Kills more, and raiſes a *report* much louder:
More *worms* it kills, I mean: whilſt all around
Britannia's diſtant Towns my fame reſound.
Of wondrous cures ſtill proofs I bring to view:
Of thine thou ne'er one ſingle proof couldſt ſhew.
A certain Perſon, with, or without name,
Adds daily augmentation to my fame.
In niceſt elegance of words array'd,
Are ſymptoms, remedies, and cures diſplay'd.
Not like the dull, low, incoherent ſtory
In quibbles advertis'd from Oratory.
I leave the World to make a juſt aſſizement
Of Eithers parts by Eithers *Advertiſement.*
If thus hard puſh'd you vainly now ſhould boaſt,
To gain in Poetry what in Proſe you've loſt;
You'll ſtill be bit: for I've invok'd APOLLO:
He comes: and lo! a train of Rhymes here follow.
With all his ſpirit he inſpires my layes;
And ſmiling crowns my head with double bayes.
He gave the certain Art to cure, or kill;
And whilſt I write theſe lines, he guides my quill.
And all the Town will own, I'll lay a teſter,
That this Epiſtle's better than *Queen Eſther.*
See! how my ſenſe in eaſy numbers flows;
My language riſing, as my fancy glows:
How bright this burns! how pure is that, refin'd!
Leaving the *caput mortuum* all behind.
Not ſo thy ſenſe: like ſnail, to rhyme a ſlave,
It creeps ſlow, ſlimy o'er thy Brother's grave.
FORD *is not dead, but ſleepeth; ſpare his fame, I charge ye,*
One ounce of Mother-Wit is worth a pound of Clergy.
Did not the joke at laſt the *Clergy* hit,
In both theſe lines there's not one *dram of wit.*
Juſt ſo the jointed *worm*, that from my *powder* flies,
Crawls from its Mother-filth, comes forth, and ſtinks and dies.
All this proceeds from *Hypochondriac* dream,
The cauſe of chillneſs in the parts extream;
Of which the head is one. When *ſcurvy* ſeizes
The brain, it brings the *Hypo* as it pleaſes.
'Twas That brought This on Thee: the *ſymptoms* mind:
'Tis half the cure, the true diſeaſe to find.
The *Scurvy*'s ſymptoms I will make as plain,
As that whate'er thou doſt, thou doſt for gain.
The Lympha Scurvy ſtill *perverts, and* ſo
Proves *to the nervous ſyſtem mortal* foe.
O'er the whole body hence extends its reign,
Sinks to the feet, and riſes to the brain.
Perſons ſcorbutic, when the moon's at full,
Feel *ſenſe of weight, and pain obſcure and dull.*
Too rav'nous, or *too languid*'s *th' appetite*;
Both heavy ills, when e'er the pocket's light.
When once an ORATOR *ſcorbutic* opes
His mouth, in fine rhetoric flow'rs and tropes;
His *gums*, ſo *liable to ulcerous* tumor,
Void either ſaltiſh blood, or ſerous humor.
You ſee his *teeth looſe*, livid, *and corroded:*
Whilſt from his *mouth* loud noiſe, with *ſtench* exploded,
Strikes ears and noſe: ſtop both, and you'll do well,
Secure from poyſonous ſounds, and poys'nous ſmell.
E'en when he ſpits, take care; for tho' he's tacit,
His ſpittle's very ſalt, and ſometimes acid.
Thus the diſeaſe in every part is ſhown:
Now let my medicines power and force be known.
The numerous trains of ſymptoms it expells,
Scorbutick, Hypochondriac illneſs quells:
Alters and changes all the body's juices;
The Lentor thins; and *opens* all the ſluices:
It renovates the blood in every part;
Nature decay'd reſtores, and chears the heart;
Revives the ſpirits of conceited noddies,
Gives reſt to weary, tir'd, and worn out bodies;
The natural, innate heat, extinguiſh'd rouſes,
Reſtores the Huſbands empire over Spouſes;
Invigorates the whole corporeal frame,
Rekindling in the heart *the vital flame.*
But ah! mine burns too high, poetic rapture
Makes me forget, like you, both verſe and chapter:
My Text: my *Medicines*: — They are *Pills*, a Potion, —
No, 'tis *a ſpirit*, of which you've no notion;
A Purge at proper times, and one: a Clyſter:
I'll ſend th'ingredients wrapp'd in a *Regiſter.*

Lawrence Poutney-lane, Sept. 15, 1731. J. M.

V. 15. *See* Dr. M——e's *Advertiſement in the* Daily Poſt *of this day.* The Hypochondriac and Hyſteric Illneſſes have their ſource from the ſcurvy.

V. 19. Dr. M——e *and* Dr. H——y advertiſed *in*

the Daily Poſt, *till the latter end of the laſt year; when an unhappy diſpute aroſe about preeminence, in which the former having gained the advantage; the latter has ever ſince advertiſed in the* Daily Journal.

V. 39. *See* the Doctor's *Advertiſements.*

V. 56. A Poem, *which, as we are informed in Mr.* H —y's Life, *was written by him, and printed.*

V. 63. *Epitaph upon* Mr. Ford, *in the* Hyp Doctor. 38.

V. 70. *See the* Advertiſement *in the* Daily Poſt. Is the cauſe of chillneſs in the extream parts.

V. 77. The Scurvy perverts the Lympha, and is a mortal enemy to the nervous Syſtem.

V. 81. Scorbutic perſons are troubled with ſenſe of weight, and a dull obſcure pain.

V. 83. The appetite is either too ſtimulating or too languid.

V. 87. The gums are liable to excreſcencies, ſwellings, and ulcers; and when rubb'd void either a ſaltiſh blood or ſerous humor.

V. 89. The teeth are looſe and corroded, the mouth has a ſtench,

V. 94. The ſpittle is very ſalt, and ſometimes acid.

V. 97. It expells the numerous trains of ſcorbutick ſymptoms.

V. 99. It alters and changes all the juices in the human body, thins the Lentor.

V. 105. It renovates the blood, reſtores decay'd nature, chears the heart, revives the ſpirits, - - - gives reſt to weary, tired, and worn out bodies.

V. 105. It invigorates and inkindles again the almoſt extinguiſh'd natural innate heat, making the vital flame to burn clear.

V. 111. Two Antiſcorbutick medicines, being pills and a ſpirit, —— with a Purge given at proper times.

DOMESTIC NEWS.

C. *Courant.*
P. *Poſt-Boy.*
D P. *Daily Poſt.*
D J. *Daily Journal.*
E P. *Evening Poſt.*
S J. *S. James's Evening Poſt.*
WE. *Whitehall Evening P.*
LE. *London Evening Poſt.*

THURSDAY, *Sept.* 9.

His Majeſty has been pleaſed to appoint the R. Hon. the E. of Tankerville, to be Captain of the Yeoman of the Guard. *P.* The place of Captain of the Yeoman of the Guard is not diſpoſed off. *D P.* 10. — His Majeſty has, by the advice of his Phyſicians, forbore walking in the gardens at Hampton-Court in the evenings *L E.* —— On tueſday arrived an expreſs at Hampton-Court, with the important news that the Crown of Sweden had acceded to the Treaty of Vienna. *D P.*

By letters from Cadiz, dated Aug. 17. O. S. we hear that Sir Cha. Wager ſailed from thence the day before with the Fleet under his command for Gibraltar, to take on board the forces which are to attend Don Carlos into Italy. *P.*

Northampton, Sept. 6. We learn from Ramſey in Huntingdonſhire, that immediately after their ſad fire, Nicholas Boufoy, Eſq; ſent the poor ſufferers 20 guineas, Will. Marſhal, Eſq; the ſame ſum, Rob. Pigot, Eſq; 50 l. The town of Godmancheſter 27 l. the town of Huntingdon, beſides great quantities of proviſions, 30 l. The town of Whittleſea 70 l. the town of Chatteris 23 l. the town of Wiſton, beſides proviſions, 19 l. Sir Will. Lemon hath alſo given them leave to dig what ſand they have occaſion for, in his Lordſhip of Warboyce, towards rebuilding their ſeveral habitations. *D J.*

On tueſday the Cripplegate, Whitechappel, S. Clement's, and Southwark Grenadiers rendevouz'd in Bridgwater Gardens; from whence they march'd thro' the City, and afterwards attack'd Cripplegate, both Poſterns, and great Moorgate, with their uſual bravery; and thence proceeded to attack a dunghill near Bunhill-fields, which glorioufly compleated their exerciſe of arms. *S J.*

The laſt Hyp-Doctor is thought to have a mixture of wit, humour, reaſoning and fact, on the Screen and Bank-contract, that gives it a juſt preference to any political Paper extant. *D J.* —— *Is it preferable to the* London Journal *or* Free Briton? *I am well aſſured, that this is only the* Hyp-Doctor's thought.

Yeſterday Sir Will. Morice, Bar. Member of Parliament for Newport in Cornwall, was married to the Lady Lucy Wharton, Siſter to the late Duke. *D P.* To morrow the marriage is to be conſummated. *WE.*

Yeſterday morning the Lady of the R. Hon. the L. Hobart was delivered of a ſon. *P. D J.*

A few days ſince died at Tunbridge, Tho. Goodall, Eſq; Cuſtos Brevium of the King's Bench. *D J.* —— On tueſday at Shacklewell, Tho. Haggar, Eſq; one of the Land Surveyors belonging to his Majeſty's Cuſtoms. *C.* at Hackney. *P.* Haggard. *D P.* ——— On ſaturday, at his ſeat at Place-Newidd in Denbighſhire, John Roberts, Eſq; poſſeſſed of upwards of 2000 l. per ann. which deſcends to his only ſon. Major Roberts. *L E.* — On tueſday night at his Palace at Chicheſter, the R. Rev. Dr. Edw. Waddington, L. Biſhop of that See. *WE* Yeſterday morning. *L E.* He was promoted to that See, Feb. 2, 1723-4. *C. D J.*

FRIDAY, *Sept.* 10.

We are aſſured that the Theatre in Goodman's-Fields is now taken by Mr. Giffard, who is beautifying and making it as commodious as poſſible, and will open the latter end of this month with the celebrated Play of Geo. Barnwell, with new cloaths and ſcenes. *D J.*

Yeſterday came on the election of a Lecturer for S. Chriſtopher's pariſh behind the Royal Exchange, when the votes being caſt up, Mr. Cooper had 39, and Mr. Gibbon 32, upon which the former was declared duly elected. *D P.* &c. —— Yeſterday Mr. Will. Newcombe was choſen a Common Council Man of Biſhopſgate Ward without, in the room of Mr. Deputy Sweeting lately deceaſed. *P. C.* Without oppoſition. *D P.*

Will. Edm. Booth, a lad, was try'd for picking the pocket of Lambert Ludlow, of a ſilk handkerchief, value 2 s. 6 d. After the Jury had brought him in guilty to the value of 10 d. he cry'd out, *G—d d——n you all; here's a ſhilling; give me 2 d. pray hand it to them.* P.

Canterbury, Sept. 8. On monday morning 4 troops of the Lord Cobham's regiment of horſe marched hence for Rocheſter, Stroud and Chatham; and yeſterday morning 2 troops more marched for Feverſham, Sittingbourn, and Milton; alſo yeſterday a detachment of 60 men of Gen. Wade's regiment of Light-horſe arrived here from Deal and Dover. *D J.*

Mr. Rob. Baily is made Cornet of Dragoons in the L. Carpenter's regiment, in the room of the Hon. Hen. Villiers, Eſq; (Brother to the Lady Lanſdown, and Uncle to the preſent E. of Jerſey) who is gone into orders. *D P.*

We hear the title of L. Dudley and Ward goes to John Ward of Staffordſhire, Eſq; —— Mr. Norris is made a Land-Surveyor, in the room of Mr. Haggard. *D P.*

Laſt night was interr'd in a very decent manner, in the Church-yard of S. John the Evangeliſt, Weſtm. the body of the Rev. Mr. Marmaduke Fothergill M. A. formerly of S. John's College in Cambridge, and Vicar of Shipwith in Yorkſhire, of which he was deprived for refuſal of the oaths required upon the change of Government in 1689, and liv'd retired in this City to the 75th year of his age. *D P.*

SATURDAY, *Sept.* 11.

On wedneſday night Sam. Palmer, Eſq; Treaſurer of S. Bartholomew's Hoſpital, reſign'd the ſaid Poſt, on account of his ill ſtate of health, having fill'd the ſame with great honour. ——— Laſt wedneſday the foundation of the new church of S. Giles's in the fields was begun to be laid. 4 *Ev.*

A few days ſince Sir Anth. Abdy, of Felix-hall in the County of Eſſex, Bar. was marry'd to Mrs. Williams, a rich heireſs of the ſame County. *L E.*

On the 8th inſtant, at Ipſwich in Suffolk, Mr. Coleman and Mr. Sparrow, both in the intereſt of Col. Negus, were unanimouſly choſen Bailiffs. —— On thurſday Mr. Geo. Blackſtone was appointed Carpenter in ordinary to his Majeſty, in the room of Mr. And. Churchill, lately deceas'd. *L E*

We hear from S. Albans, that the Mayor, Aldermen, and Clergy there, have collected near 120 l. for the relief of the ſufferers by fire at Blandford, Tiverton and Ramſey: of this ſum the Corporation gave 10 guineas, the R. Hon. the L. Grimſton 10, and Mr. Gape 5. *L E.*

His Majeſty has declared his intention of keeping the anniverſary of his Coronation, which is the 11th of next month, at Hampton-Court; and that he will remove the next day to Richmond, and continue there 'till the 26th, when he will remove to S. James's for the winter. *D J.*

On thurſday laſt the Deputies and Common Councilmen of the Ward of Farringdon without, paid into the hands of Fran. Child, Eſq; the ſum of 500 l. by them collected for the uſe of the ſufferers by the late fires of Blandford, Tiverton, and Ramſey, and made it their unanimous requeſt, not to pay the ſame into the Chamber of London, but to diſpoſe of it in ſuch proportions as he ſhould think moſt equitable. *D P.*

There has been lately found out an invention for fluxing and fixing Mundick, and reducing that ſulphurous volatile mineral into a metal, which 'till now, has been looked upon as a crude ore; which tho' many have try'd to flux or melt, yet when ſo done, it has turn'd to droſs, but is now brought to perfection by fluxing it into a metal. and extracting ſilver from it, which will employ great numbers of poor, and vaſtly improve the eſtates where the ſaid Mundick is found, which is generally in tin ore. — About 100 Coffee Plants were brought from Eaſt India to S. Helena in May laſt, to be planted in that Iſland, in order to make trial whether Coffee cannot be produced there. *D J.*

Several Lawyers of S. Andrew's, Holborn, refuſe to pay the Orphans tax, and deſign to petition the Parliament againſt it, alledging, that when the Act paſſed for raiſing 2000 l. a year on the Inhabitants of this City, the coal duty was not half ſo much as at preſent; and notwithſtanding the deficiency in many Wards, there is every year a ſurplus; and ſome time ſince there remained a very large ſum. *D P.*

Laſt night the Seſſions ended at the Old Baily, when 3 Malefactors receiv'd ſentence of death, viz. Rob. Urwin for the murder of Cha. Piercy, Jan. 9. 1726, at the Phœnix Gaming-Houſe; Ric. Davis, and Will. Tracy, for different felonies and burglaries. *D J. P. D P.* Stabbing him with a bayonet. *C.* Seven were burnt in the hand. *D J.* Eight. *P. D P.* Between 30 and 40 were ordered for tranſportation. *D J.* 35. *P.*

MONDAY, *Sept.* 13.

The Duke, the Princeſs Royal, and the Princeſs Emilia, with ſeveral perſons of quality and diſtinction hunted the ſtag in Richmond New Park: the ſtag running behind Couthorpe Clayton, Eſq; one of his Majeſty's Equerries, gored his horſe above 2 inches [about 3. *P.*] in the flank, whereby he was thrown. The Lady Suſan Hamilton, of the Bedchamber to the 3 eldeſt Princeſſes, was unhors'd, and immediately let blood by a Surgeon. The ſtag having run a delightful chace for near 2 hours, was kill'd about 10. *D P.*

Laſt ſaturday morning Horatio Walpole, Eſq; took the air in his coach in Buſhy Park. *D P.* —— The R. Hon. Horatio Walpole, Eſq; continues dangerouſly ill of a fever. *WE.* 11.

The Dublin Yacht was at Holyhead the 6th inſt. waiting a wind to proceed for Dublin, with his Grace the Duke of Dorſet, &c. *D J.*

Laſt ſaturday night the corpſe of the late E. of Orrery, having lain in ſtate in the Jeruſalem Chamber, was carried from thence in a ſolemn manner, and interred in the Duke of Ormond's vault in K. Hen. VIIth's Chapel, the pall being ſupported by the Earls of Winchelſea, Litchfield, Scarborough, Uxbridge, Arran and Thomond; the Earl of Burlington being chief Mourner, ſupported by the Lords Maſham and Bathurſt. *D P.*

We hear that Tho. Biſhop, of Draycot, near Uxbridge, Eſq; deceas'd, one of the Governors of the Hoſpitals of Bridewell and Bethlehem, has left by his will 500 l. towards finiſhing of the building for Incurables at Bethlehem; and the like ſum to S. Bartholomew's hoſpital, &c. *D P.*

We learn from Crediton in Devonſhire, that 2 or 3 attempts had been lately made to ſet fire to that town, by ſome rogues, who had actually burnt one houſe, with the barns and out-houſes; and that 2 perſons had been ſeized and confined on ſuſpicion, &c. *D J.*

On ſaturday Sir Will. Morrice, Bar. was married at Uxbridge to the Lady Lucy Wharton, Siſter to the late Duke. *P.*

Stafford, Aug. 30. This day John Naden, who murdered his Maſter, Mr. Brough, was carried on a horſe, having his legs ty'd and hand-cuft, to Leek. The next morning he was carried to the higheſt hill on Gun-heath, within a quarter of a mile of his Maſter's houſe, where, in the preſence of ſome thouſands of Spectators, he confeſſed the facts for which he died. The gibbet is 21 foot high, and may be ſeen 5 miles round the country. The chains which were made by one of Birmingham, are made in ſo curious a manner, that they will keep his bones together 'till they turn to powder, if the iron will laſt ſo long. *C.*

TUESDAY, *Sept.* 14.

On tueſday laſt arrived a Meſſenger at Hampton-Court, with diſpatches from Spain. It is reported the money brought by the Flotilla and Aſſogues ſhips is order'd to be deliver'd. *C.*

Sir Cha. Wager ſailed with his ſquadron from the Bay of Cadiz the 16th ult. O. S. for Gibraltar. *C.* —— James Talbot, Eſq; (a Gent. of Iriſh extraction, and a near relation to the late Gen. Crofton, late in the King of Spain's ſervice,) who was concerned in the rebellion at Preſton, and diſcharged out of Newgate, died lately in Spain. *P.*

On ſaturday laſt the L. Viſc. Duplin, ſon to the E. of Kinnoul, his Majeſty's Embaſſador at the Ottoman Porte, preſented his Royal Highneſs the Prince with a fine Turkiſh Scymitar, which had cut off the heads of ſeveral Baſhaws, and alſo with a rich Turkiſh horſe furniture. *D P.*

Yeſterday at 10 in the forenoon, the L. John Ruſſel was married at Blenheim-caſtle in Oxfordſhire, to the Lady Diana Spencer; there were preſent on this occaſion the D. and Dutcheſs of Bedford, the D. of Rutland, the Earls of Harborough and Sunderland, together with many other perſons of quality and diſtinction. *D P.*

Mr. Smith, Under-Secretary to the South-Sea Company, is appointed Secretary, in the room of Mr. Weſtcomb, deceas'd. *P.*

Briſtol, Sept. 11. Yeſterday our general Goal delivery ended, when 3 Malefactors received ſentence of death. Mr. Power was tried for firing Mr. Packer's houſe, and handſomely acquitted. *C.* &c.

Laſt ſunday one Dobbs, who kept a Pamphlet-ſhop in Lincoln's-inn-ſquare, hanged himſelf in the Gate houſe, where he had been ſome time confined. —— Yeſterday the Coroner's inqueſt ſat on the body of a Hackney Writer,

who hang'd himſelf laſt ſaturday at his lodgings in Butcher-Row in the Strand, and brought in their verdict lunacy. *D J.*

Norwich, Sept. 11. Laſt ſunday a man of 60 years of age, ſtood in a white ſheet in our Cathedral Church, for getting his own daughter with child. On monday another, about the ſame age, was committed to our Goal, for a rape on a Girl of 12 years of age. *C.*

They write from Dartmouth, Sept. 10. That the P. William, Capt. Cleland, belonging to the South-Sea Company, arrived the day before off that harbour in 70 days from Porto Bello, and landed the Supercargoes and ſome other Gentlemen, who immediately took poſt for London. *D P.* —— But 13 died in the voyage. *P.* The Prince William has on board, for account of the Company 1,500,000 pieces of eight, and in Jeſuites bark, cochineal, logwood, and drugs, near the value of 500,000 pieces of eight more. *D J.*

Yeſterday evening an old woman of 67 hanged her ſelf at her houſe in Poor Jury-Lane: ſhe was ſeen about 2 hours before to go in with a full pot of beer, and was dreſt in her beſt cloaths. *C.* — They write from Bath, that on thurſday laſt the celebrated Miſs Fenny B——k was found unfortunately hanged in her golden Girdle, at her lodgings in that city: by the poſition of her chair, and a book lying on the table, ſhe had been reading juſt before ſhe committed the violent act on herſelf. She was daughter to the late General ——, who at his death left the above young Lady and her Siſter 6000 l. but the latter dying about 4 years ago, her Siſter became Miſtreſs of the whole fortune, who being a great admirer of that hazardous dependance, Gaming, lately met with ſome unlucky chances, which both depriv'd her of her fortune and reaſon, and occaſioned the dilemma abovementioned. It was obſerved, ſhe had been obſerved to ſay, after the laſt ſtroke given to her fortune, that no one ſhou'd ever be ſenſible of her neceſſities, were they at the laſt extremity. She is generally lamented by all who knew her, and was greatly eſteemed for her courteous and genteel behaviour, and good ſenſe. The Coroner's Inqueſt ſat on the body, and brought in their Verdict Lunacy. *D J.*

WEDNESDAY, *Sept.* 15.

Yeſterday morning, between four and five o' clock, the Northampton and another ſtage coach were robbed near Highgate by two Highwaymen, who took from the paſſengers upwards of 40 l. They likewiſe robbed a perſon on horſeback, and took from him his horſe, ſome money, and his portmantua, and made down Hornſey-lane: about eight the ſame morning the horſe and portmantua which was rifled, was found in an adjacent field, and 50 guineas were ſaved that were privately hid in the ſaddle. *C.*

Yeſterday morning about one o'clock, ſeveral Oyſter-women quarrelling with a man in the Bowling-green alley in Southwark fair, ſtabb'd him ſo deſperately with their knives, that he died ſoon after. *D J.*

We hear Townſend Andrews of Coulſton in the county of Wilts, Eſq; Member of Parliament for the borough of Hindon, will on Michaelmas-day next ſucceed Robert Jacomb, Eſq; in the Office of Deputy-Paymaſter of his Majeſty's forces, Mr. Jacomb intending then to reſign the ſame, which place is worth 2000l. per ann. *D P.*

A few days ſince William Cartwright, of Parnham in Nottinghamſhire, Eſq; was marry'd at Finchly to Mrs. Cartwright, a Gentlewoman of 6000 l. fortune, near Newark in the ſaid county. *Ibid.*

To the Author of the *Grub-ſtreet Journal.*

From on board the Experiment Floating Light, ſome time ſince moor'd at the Nore, for the guidance of ſhipping by night, September 13, 1731.

SIR,

THIS is to deſire you to acquaint the publick, That there is now making ready a proper veſſel, burthen about one hundred tons, to be moor'd here, inſtead of this which ſome think to ſmall and not capable to endure the term of fourteen years, (the time the Patent is granted for) as I doubt not but this large one will, and be ready by the end of this month, and anſwer the good intention, to the ſatisfaction of all Navigators: and for encouraging the Undertakers, and towards defraying the great expence that has already been, and daily is, I have, by advice of my friends, left parchments at Sam's and Holland's *Coffee-houſes*, at the *Cuſtom-houſe*; Jack's *Coffee-houſe*, at Bear-key; Salutation, Swan, Dog, and Gun Taverns, at Billingſgate; Lloyd, Jeruſalem, Jamaica, Virginia and Maryland, Marine, Sword-blade, Penſylvania, Portugal, New-England, and the other *Coffee-houſes* near the Royal-Exchange; and at Mr. Fayram's, Bookſeller, under the South-entrance of the Royal Exchange; for Owners and *Commanders*, at leiſure, to ſign the approbation and conſent to pay the following prices each voyage, viz. for all ſhips and veſſels, under 100 tons, to pay 6 d. each; for all ditto from 100 to 200 tons, 1 s. each; and for all ditto, above 200 tons, 1 s. 6 d. each. And it is hoped this will be thought very moderate, and readily comply'd with, to encourage a farther progreſs of this kind, which is extremely deſired and wanted at the Wells and other places. Your friendſhip in this will further oblige,

SIR, Your very humble ſervant,
ROBERT HAMBLIN.

From the PEGASUS *in Grub-ſtreet.*

From the Pegaſus in Grub-ſtreet. We hear, that the Rev. Dr. Rivers, one of the Prebendaries of the Cathedral Church of Wincheſter, died there ſuddenly on laſt Wedneſday.

The thanks of the Society are returned to the GENEVA POET: who, as he has given us a *Paraphraſe* which is about half as long as the thing paraphras'd, is deſired to give us an *Abridgment* of it, which may be as long again.

EPIGRAM.

High-Church exert thy rage, I'm not diſmay'd,
Content I am with ſcourges to be flay'd,
To ſtarve in dungeon for the truths I've ſpoken,
Wander in ſheep skins, or on racks be broken.
With eyes turn'd up thus, Low-Church Vicar cry'd:
To whom a High-Church Curate quick reply'd:
Does this proceed from zeal, or oſtentation?
Art thou not ſure to get a *Diſpenſation?*

FOREIGN NEWS.

THURSDAY, *Sept.* 9.

Paris, Sept. 3. N. S. The Firſt Preſident of the Parliament going ſome days ago to Verſailles, with the Preſidents Le Peletier and De Maiſons, pray'd his Majeſty to give him leave to read the Remonſtrances of his Parliament. The King anſwer'd him, *You have nothing to do but to deliver them to me; I will lay them before my Council; and after that I will give you my anſwer.* His Majeſty went with them directly into the Council-Chamber; and returning in about an hour and a half, he ſaid, *I am more diſpleaſed with the ſecond Remonſtrances, than with the firſt; and I am very ill ſatisfied with the conduct of my Parliament: I forbid all debates upon this ſubject; and I will be obey'd.* And with this flea in their ear the Deputies return'd. *C. P. D P.* —— One of the exiled Advocates is Mr. Soyer, who about 2 years ago exerted himſelf ſo ſucceſsfully in his pleadings againſt the Jeſuites, that they were obliged to deliver up 101 paintings, which they pretended were left them by will: *a labour of love which thoſe good ſufferers will never forget.* The place of his exile is the fartheſt of all, namely, Bourgen Breſſe, which is 101 miles from Paris; alluding (as people will have it) not only to the paintings above mentioned, but alſo to the 101 Propoſitions condemn'd by the Bull *Unigenitus.* That Advocate is but 28 years old, but is a man of admirable fine parts. *C.*

Leipſick, Sept. 5. Our Profeſſor Clodius has received an anſwer from Muſtapha Effendi, *Teſterdar*, or Treaſurer of the Ottoman Empire, and Ambaſſador at the Court of Vienna, in which he compliments the Profeſſor upon the knowledge of the Turkiſh Language, ſhewn in the book publiſhed by him, entituled, *Lexicon Turcicum*, or *a Turkiſh Dictionary, and Grammar*; and ſends him, as a preſent, a Turkiſh book printed at Conſtantinople, entituled, *Chialjchen Chiuleffa*, or *the Caliph's Garden of roſes*, being the 7th production of the new printing-preſs, and containing the *Ancient Hiſtory of the Caliphs, or Sovereigns of the famous City of Bagdat, or Babylon*; the Preface to which gives a particular account of the occaſion of erecting that printing-houſe, and the progreſs that has been made in it. *C.*

FRIDAY, *Sept.* 10.

Hague, Sept. 7. N. S. The States of Gelderland and Overyſſel came to a reſolution, before they ſeparated, to accede to the Treaty of Vienna, as the States of Holland had done before: ſo that there are now 3 of the 7 Provinces for the queſtion; and the other 4 would certainly have declared before now, were it not for ſome little dregs of jealouſy between the Emperor and the Republick, about the affairs of Eaſt Frieſland. —— The Imperial Court take it very much amiſs, that in the Family Convention, between the Great D. of Tuſcany and the Catholick King, the Dutchy of Tuſcany is not ſet down as a fief of the Empire; and his Imperial Majeſty has inform'd the Great Duke and the King of Spain of his ſentiments in that reſpect, hoping that this omiſſion will be ſupplied in the ratification. *P.*

Bruſſels, Sept. 6. The Coiners were this morning executed in the Market-place, one was thrown into a cauldron of boiling oil, another hang'd, and a woman, convicted of having been an accomplice, whipt and mark'd with a red hot iron, by the common executioner. *D P.*

SATURDAY, *Sept.* 11.

Frankfort. Sept. 5. Our letters from Turin ſpeak greatly in favour of the French intereſt at that Court. For tho' the preſent views of his Sardinian Majeſty, in conjunction with the wiſe counſels of the late King his Father, appear not as yet within the ken of the publick, 'tis ſtrongly ſurmis'd, that a private Treaty is actually negotiating between the two Crowns. *D P.*

MONDAY, *Sept.* 13.

Yeſterday arrived 2 *Mails from* France, *and* 3 *from* Flanders.

Paris, Sept. 15. The Engliſh and Spaniſh ſquadrons are, by agreement, to go at ſome diſtance from one another, to avoid the diſputes which might otherwiſe ariſe. *C. P. D J.*

Paris, Sept. 19. Letters from Madrid ſay, the Spaniards are making great expedition in equipping their fleet, but that they are only to tranſport the 6000 troops to Italy, Don Carlos's departure being deferred 'till next year. *C.* &c.

Barcelona, Aug. 19. We expect Don Carlos here by land from Seville, to embark on board the Admiral of 120 pieces of Cannon; the rather becauſe the dreſs and equipage of his ſerene Highneſs is made here, which appear of ſuch extraordinary magnificence, that they are ſaid to amount to 5000 piſtoles. Some advices from Madrid mention the Princeſs of Aſturias to be with child. *D P.*

Legborn, Aug. 21. The advices we have received directly from Corſica, by ſome Maſters of Ships lately come from thence, are very different from thoſe we received by way of Genoa. They tell us, that the Malecontents, believing that the Imperialiſts would endeavour to land at Fiorenzo, marched thither with the groſs of their army to oppoſe them, leaving only 400 men before Baſtia, to guard the poſt of the Capuchins; but upon advice of their being landed at Baſtia, and having diſlodged their troops in that poſt, they aſſembled to the number of 7000, between Pancratio and Foriano, and intrenched themſelves: that the 14th in the morning Baron Wachtendonck attack'd them with great vigour, at the head of 2500 Imperialiſts, ſupported by ſome Genoeſe. The battle laſted 6 hours, with an almoſt equal loſs, the Imperialiſts not being able to diſperſe the Malecontents. *D J. D P. C.*

Milan, Aug. 25. Our laſt advices from Parma ſay, they ſtill expected with great impatience, the delivery of the Dutcheſs; that the Foreign Miniſters had not ſtirred from Court ſince the 20th, on which day the ſaid Princeſs had felt great pains of travail; that the 40 hours prayers were continued in all the Churches, and that the Courtiers appointed to carry the news of her delivery, were forbid to go out of the City. Some other letters adviſe, that the ſaid Dutcheſs was miſtaken a month in her reckoning. *D J. C.*

Ratiſbon, Sept. 10. We learn from Saltzbourg, that Commiſſioners are appointed to ſettle the grievances of the Proteſtants, who amount to 17800 perſons; that the latter inſiſt on the liberty of exerciſing their religion apart, and reading in books which treat thereof, without being forced to frequent the Roman Catholick Churches, and are ſtrenuouſly oppoſed by the Clergy, who pretend to an undoubted right of baptizing their Children, and burying their dead. *D P. D J.*

Vienna, Sept. 7. 'Tis adviſed from Conſtantinople, that the Grand Signor has ſent orders to all the troops in Albania, &c. to march for Perſia, being reſolved to have an army of 200,000 men, to oppoſe Prince Thamas, on certain advice, that one of the dethroned Sultan's ſons ſerv'd in the Sophy's army; and that the Baſhaw of Cairo has, at the young Prince's inſtigation, revolted from his ſublime Highneſs. *DP. D J.*

TUESDAY, *Sept.* 14.

Genoa, Aug. 25. N. S. The Maſters of 2 Feluccas confirm the action in the plain of S. Pancratio, where the Imperialiſts put the rebels to flight; and that having taken Foriano, they ſet fire to the Town, and reduced it to aſhes. *C.*

Alicant, Aug. 18. Commadore Schryver arrived in our road with the Dutch men of war under his command. At his departure, the Town ſaluted their High-Mightineſſes flag with 21 guns, which is the Royal ſalute, and particular honour, which the Engliſh and French nations have not hitherto been able to obtain. *C.* &c.

Extract of a Letter from Carthagena, dated Aug. 17. O. S. The Good Intent, Capt. Kemp, bound from Tetuan to Oran, having on board four mooriſh paſſengers and 72 chequins or Barbary gold ducats, in a little bag, and 2160 in ſealed bags, were met off cape Figale near Oran by a Spaniſh man of war of 60 guns, call'd the Hercules, Capt. Juan Jordan one of the Conde la Bene's Squadron, which plunder'd and ranſack'd her, took the Moors on board the man of war, as alſo the money, and Capt. Kemp, having put a Lieutenant and Spaniſh ſailors into the prize, and brought her to Altea, where they water'd, and have ſince brought her in here. The veſſel was in ballaſt, except the moors and ſhips company's ſtores and apparel. The day after they took her they ſent for Kemp on board the Commodore, where were the Captain and Lieutenant of the ſhip which took him, and the latter brought out the bags of money to be counted before him, which they did, and found 475 chequins wanting, which he told the Captain and Lieutenant of, but they made him no other anſwer, but that it was all they took, and had not been touch'd by them. At the ſame time they took an Engliſh Settee, bound alſo to Oran, belonging to Gibraltar, and brought her along with them. *4 Ev.*

WEDNESDAY, *Sept.* 15.

Vienna, Sept. 14. N. S. The Emperor's anſwer to their High-Mightineſſes *Ultimatum* about the affair of Eaſt-Friſland, is by no means ſatisfactory, as I obſerved in my former; and now, to mend the matter, the Offenders are fitting out two ſhips for the Indies, which are known not to be thoſe the Company is permitted to ſend thither once for all. Their High-Mightineſſes have complain'd thereof to Count Sinzendorff, Envoy-extraordinary of the Emperor at this place; but he only anſwered, with an air of coldneſs, that his Imperial Majeſty knew nothing of the equipment complained of; and therefore, if they met thoſe ſhips at ſea, they might take them as interlopers, as they had formerly done.—Our private letters from Paris continue to inſinuate, as if the moſt chriſtian King had made a ſecret Treaty with the King of Spain, even without the knowledge or participation of the Queen; thoſe two Potentates being reſolved to club intereſts. *P.*

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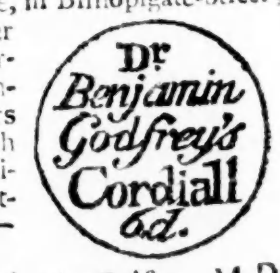

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